

Table 1**Demographic, Social, and Economic Indicators**Source: *N.C. Health Statistics Pocket Guide – 2005*, State Center for Health Statistics

	United States	North Carolina	Number of States Higher
Resident Population, 2004 (millions)	293.7	8.5	10
Percent of Total Population, 2004 Estimate:			
White	80.4	74.1	39
Black	12.8	22.0	7
Hispanic ¹	14.1	6.0	24
Percent Under 5 Years of Age, 2004	6.8	7.0	11
Percent Ages 65 and Over, 2004	12.4	12.1	32
Persons per Household, 2005	2.60	2.47	32
Population per Square Mile of Land, 2004	83.0	175.3	16
Metropolitan Population, 2000 (millions) ²	226.0	5.4	12
Percent of Total	80.3	67.5	32
Annual Percent Increase Since 1990	1.4	2.4	7
Nonmetropolitan Pop., 2000 (millions) ^{2,3}	55.5	2.6	1
Percent of Total	19.7	32.5	18
Annual Percent Increase Since 1990	1.0	1.6	14
Per Capita Personal Income, 2004	\$32,937	\$29,246	37
Median Family ⁴ Income, 2003	\$52,273	\$45,540	42
Home Ownership Rate, 2005	68.9	70.9	29
Percent of Persons below Poverty Level, 2003	12.7	14.0	14
Percent of Households with Computer, 2003	61.8	57.7	41
Percent of Households with Internet Access, 2003	54.6	51.1	37
Per Capita Federal Income Tax, 2002	\$2,610	\$2,003	34
Per Capita Total State Tax Collections, 2002 ⁵	\$1,862	\$1,871	20
Per Capita State Government Total Revenue, 2004 ⁶	\$5,414	\$5,196	27
Per Capita State Government Debt Outstanding, 2004	\$2,573	\$1,651	38

¹Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race. ²As defined by U.S. Office of Management and Budget. ³Excludes New Jersey and District of Columbia. ⁴The American Community Survey is limited to the household population and excludes the population living in institutions, college dormitories, and other group quarters. ⁵Excludes District of Columbia. Includes sales and receipt taxes; fuel, beverage, and tobacco taxes; individual and corporate income taxes; motor vehicle and operators' licenses; and other state taxes. ⁶The 2003 Pocket Guide listed Total Revenue as General Revenue. This year, the title was changed to accurately name the statistic. Total revenue is from General Revenue (includes intergovernmental revenue and taxes), utility revenue, liquor store revenue, and insurance trust revenue.